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UNITED STATES.

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES, RULES, AND REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO PUBLIC HYGIENE.

[Adopted since Jan. 1, 1910.]

WATERBURY, CONN.

PROTECTION OF FOODSTUFFS—MILK, BUTTER, AND CHEESE.

Amendment to by-laws.—Voted: That section 11 of the by-laws concerning milk and foodstuffs be amended by inserting the word “unclean,” in the sixth line thereof, after the word “unwholesome,” so that said section as amended will read as follows:

“SEC. 11. No person shall have, at any place where milk, butter, or cheese is kept for sale, nor shall at any place sell, deliver, or offer or have for sale, or keep for use, nor shall any persons bring or send to the city of Waterbury, any milk which contains over 300,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter, upon two or more examinations, or any unwholesome, unclean, or adulterated milk, or milk known as ‘swill milk,’ or milk from cows or other animals that have been fed in whole or in part on swill milk from sick or diseased cows or other animals, or any butter or cheese made from such milk or any unwholesome butter or cheese.” [By-law, commissioners of public health, adopted Jan. 3, 1911.]

Amendment to by-laws.—That section 12 be amended by striking out the words “3 per cent of fats” and inserting in lieu thereof the words “3.25 per cent of fats,” so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

“SEC. 12. No milk which is watered, adulterated, reduced, or changed, in any respect, by the addition of water, or other substance, or by the removal of a portion of the cream, except as hereinafter provided, shall be brought into the city, or held, kept, sold, or offered for sale, at any place in said city, nor shall anyone keep, have, sell, or offer for sale in said city any such milk.

“The term ‘adulterated milk’ when so used in this code means:

“1. Milk containing more than 88 per cent of water or fluids.

“2. Milk containing less than 12 per cent of milk solids.

“3. Milk containing less than 3.25 per cent of fats, or milk from which a part of the cream has been removed, unless sold as ‘skimmed milk’ as hereinafter provided.

“4. Milk drawn from animals within 15 days before or 5 days after parturition.

“5. Milk drawn from animals fed on distillery waste, or on any substance in the state of fermentation or putrefaction, or on any unwholesome food.

“6. Milk drawn from cows kept in a crowded or unhealthy condition.

“7. Milk which has been diluted with water or any other fluid, or to which has been added or onto which has been introduced any foreign substance whatever.

“8. Milk the temperature of which is higher than 55° F.” [By-law, commissioners of public health, adopted May 2, 1910.]

Amendment to by-laws.—SEC. 20. It shall be unlawful to fill bottles at any place within the limits of the city of Waterbury, other than a dairy or milk depot, or until such bottles shall have been thoroughly cleansed; and it shall be unlawful for any person to have in his possession, with intent to sell, offer or expose for sale, or sell, deliver for sale, or consumption, within said city, any milk in bottles, which shall have been placed in such bottles, at any place in the city of Waterbury, other than a dairy or milk depot, as aforesaid.

Any violation of the provisions of this section shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and punishable by a fine not to exceed \$100. [By-law, commissioners of public health, adopted Jan. 3, 1911.]